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Mr. Vernon A. Williams, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
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**Re: STB Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 636X)
CSX Transportation, Inc.-Abandonment
Exemption in St. Clair County, Michigan**

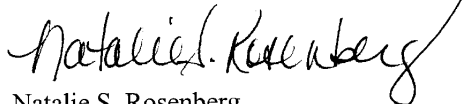
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Dear Mr. Williams:

This refers to the decision served by the Board on July 7, 2003 in the above captioned proceeding. In that decision, the Board exempted from further regulation the abandonment by CSX Transportation (CSXT) of approximately 2.68 miles between Milepost CBD 83.28 and CBD 85.96 in St. Clair County, Michigan. This exemption became effective on August 6, 2003.

Pursuant to the provisions of 49 C.F.R. 1152.29, CSXT hereby files its notice of consummation signifying that it has fully exercised the authority granted in the Board's July 7, 2003 opinion.

Very truly yours,



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